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A. James Barnes is a Professor of Public and Environmental Affairs and Law at Indiana University in Bloomington, Indiana. His teaching interests include environmental law, environmental policy, alternative dispute resolution, business law, and ethics and the public official. Professor Barnes has written, testified, and spoken extensively on environmental issues and mediates environmental disputes. For 40 years he has co-authored two of the leading business law textbooks used in schools of business.

From 1985 to 2000, he served as Dean of the School of Public and Environmental Affairs. During this time, it was ranked third among public affairs programs by *U.S. News & World Report* and first in environmental policy.

From 1985 to 1988, Professor Barnes served as the Deputy Administrator of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). From 1983 to 1985, he was the EPA General Counsel, and in the early 1970s, he participated in the formation of EPA and served as the chief of staff to its first Administrator, William D. Ruckelshaus.

He also served as General Counsel of the U.S. Department of Agriculture from 1981 to 1983. For six years, from 1975 to 1981, he had an environmental law, commercial and litigation practice with the firm of Beveridge and Diamond in Washington, D.C.

From 2003 to 2010, Professor Barnes chaired EPA's Environmental Finance Advisory Board and from 1992 -1998 he served on the Board of the Long Island Lighting Company. He is an elected Fellow in the National Academy of Public Administration as well as an elected Fellow in the American College of Environmental Lawyers. In 2000, he was named a "Sagamore of the Wabash" by then-Governor Frank O'Bannon.

Professor Barnes received his J.D. from Harvard Law School in 1967 and his B.S. from Michigan State University in 1964. His recent publications include:

- *Business Law, the Ethical, Global and E-Commerce Environment*, Mallor, Barnes, Bowers, Phillips, and Langvardt; published by McGraw Hill; (14<sup>th</sup> edition 2009)
- *Law for Business*, Barnes, Dworkin, and Richards; published by McGraw Hill; (10<sup>th</sup> edition 2008)

Professor Barnes was appointed to EMAB as a special Government employee in order to provide expert advice on large project planning and environmental stewardship.